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November 07, 2016

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No.: 16-17050  
D.C. No.: 2:14-cv-01207-RFB-PAL  
Short Title: Patricia Morrison v. Quest Diagnostics, Inc., et al

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Dear Appellant/Counsel

A copy of your notice of appeal/petition has been received in the Clerk's office of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. The U.S. Court of Appeals docket number shown above has been assigned to this case. You must indicate this Court of Appeals docket number whenever you communicate with this court regarding this case.

Please furnish this docket number immediately to the court reporter if you place an order, or have placed an order, for portions of the trial transcripts. The court reporter will need this docket number when communicating with this court.

**The due dates for filing the parties' briefs and otherwise perfecting the appeal have been set by the enclosed "Time Schedule Order," pursuant to applicable FRAP rules. These dates can be extended only by court order. Failure of the appellant to comply with the time schedule order will result in automatic dismissal of the appeal. 9th Cir. R. 42-1.**

**Appellants who are filing pro se should refer to the accompanying information sheet regarding the filing of informal briefs.**

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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PATRICIA HARDING MORRISON,

Plaintiff - Appellant,

v.

QUEST DIAGNOSTICS, INC.; JOHN  
HIATT; MARGARET GOODMAN,  
Dr.; NEVADA STATE ATHLETIC  
COMMISSION; MARC RATNER,

Defendants - Appellees.

No. 16-17050

D.C. No. 2:14-cv-01207-RFB-PAL  
U.S. District Court for Nevada, Las  
Vegas

**TIME SCHEDULE ORDER**

The parties shall meet the following time schedule.

If there were reported hearings, the parties shall designate and, if necessary, cross-designate the transcripts pursuant to 9th Cir. R. 10-3.1. If there were no reported hearings, the transcript deadlines do not apply.

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| <b>Mon., December 5, 2016</b>  | Transcript shall be ordered.  |
| <b>Tue., January 3, 2017</b>   | Transcript shall be filed by court reporter.  |
| <b>Mon., February 13, 2017</b> | Appellant's opening brief and excerpts of record shall be served and filed pursuant to FRAP 32 and 9th Cir. R. 32-1.  |
| <b>Mon., March 13, 2017</b>    | Appellee's answering brief and excerpts of record shall be served and filed pursuant to FRAP 32 and 9th Cir. R. 32-1. |

**The optional appellant's reply brief shall be filed and served within fourteen days of service of the appellee's brief, pursuant to FRAP 32 and 9th Cir. R. 32-1.**

**Failure of the appellant to comply with the Time Schedule Order will result in automatic dismissal of the appeal. See 9th Cir. R. 42-1.**

FOR THE COURT:  
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Ruben Talavera  
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